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Capt. Collin Sheehy, at Station 61 in Upland, holds two Yorkies rescued from an Upland house fire Wednesday night in the 800 block of North 11th Street. (Courtesy photo)

Firefighters extinguished flames and rescued two dogs at an Upland house fire Wednesday night.

San Bernardino County firefighters responded to a report about a fire at a home about 8:40 p.m. in the 800 block of North 11th Avenue, according to a county fire news release. At the rear of the home, firefighters found smoke and flames coming from a bathroom and began an interior attack.

During a search of the home, firefighters found two small dogs believed to be Yorkies. The dogs were checked, appeared to be doing well and were given to their owners.

Firefighters had the fire under control in 15 minutes. The flames had continued to spread but were limited to the rear of the home, according to the release.

One truck company, four engines, a chief officer, and an investigator — a total of 17 personnel — responded to the incident. Damage estimates were not immediately available, the release stated. The cause remains under investigation.

County fire officials encourage residents to have an escape plan in the event of a house fire. Review the plan regularly with all occupants of the home. Information is available at www.sbcfire.org.

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Motorcyclist critically injured after crash on Nisqualli Road in Victorville

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VICTORVILLE, Calif. (VVNG.com) — A stretch of Nisqualli Road was closed following a crash that left a motorcyclist critically injured Thursday afternoon.

The collision involving a green Altima and a black and blue street bike was reported at 3:35 pm, in the 15500 block of Nisqualli Road, east of 11th Avenue in Victorville.

According to a deputy at the scene, the vehicle was traveling westbound and the motorcycle was heading eastbound. The vehicle attempted to make a left hand turn into a driveway of a residence on Nisqualli Road and crossed into the path of the motorcycle, officials said.

The rider was ejected from the bike and sustained life-threatening injuries.

"The car waited for the eastbound light at 11th Avenue to turn red and for traffic to clear before it turned," Patsy Florez-Gomez, a passenger of the Altima, told Victor Valley News. "There was no time to react, that's how fast the bike was going."

Firefighters with **San Bernardino County Fire** requested an airship to transport the patient to a trauma center. The helicopter landed in an empty dirt lot near the scene of the accident.

Deputies at the scene administered a field sobriety test on the driver of the vehicle who appeared to be cooperating with authorities during the investigation.

Nisqualli Road was closed at 11th Avenue for approximately 2 hours.

At this time the official cause of the crash remains under investigation.

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